

## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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This is a request for a continued examination under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114

a. ☐ Previously filed

- i. ☐ Consider the unentered amendment/reply previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. ☒ Enclosed

- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- iv. ☐ Other

2. ☒ Fee Transmittal Sheet is enclosed.

3. ☒ Request for extension: Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136, Applicant(s) request a three-month extension for filing a response to the outstanding Official Action.

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